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1. [REDACTED] the Cuban National Peace Committee is directly connected with the Paris World Peace headquarters, and that orders are sent from there to the Cuban delegates Juan Marinello, Maria Josefa Vidaurreta de Marinello and Nicolas Guillen, and to the secretariat of the Cuban National Peace Committee.
2. A meeting of the Cuban Committee was held in Habana 21 January 1950 and the resolutions adopted there were the result of instructions received from the Paris World Peace headquarters. The following five resolutions were approved:
  - a. Cessation of the arms race; reduction of expenditures on arms.
  - b. Prohibition of the use of atomic weapons.
  - c. Cessation of the war against Viet Nam and other colonies.
  - d. Cessation of the movement against the Peace Committees in various countries.
  - e. Signing of a peace pact by the big powers within the United Nations.
3. A resolution was also adopted to carry on an extensive campaign throughout Cuba to obtain the endorsement of the five points, which would be presented to congress scheduled to be held in Habana in March 1950. The campaign, which will begin on 19 February 1950, will entail the following:
  - a. Obtaining 300,000 signatures from all sections of the country and from all classes of the people endorsing the five-point peace program.
  - b. Conducting a propaganda campaign in support of the document endorsing the five points by means of radio, conferences, etc.
  - c. A central meeting in Habana to approve the visits which delegates of peace committees of other countries will make to Cuba for the Habana congress in March.
4. In addition to prominent figures from Mexico and the United States, General Jose R. Gabaden, former Venezuelan Ambassador to Cuba and President of the Venezuelan Peace Committee, will attend the March congress, according to an article in Hoy, the Partido Socialista Popular organ.
5. It was also decided at the meeting on 21 January to print a monthly news bulletin of the developments of the peace movement in Cuba. A commission was designated to represent the Peace Committee at a "peace" celebration which was to be held by the Juventud Socialista on 28 January.

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